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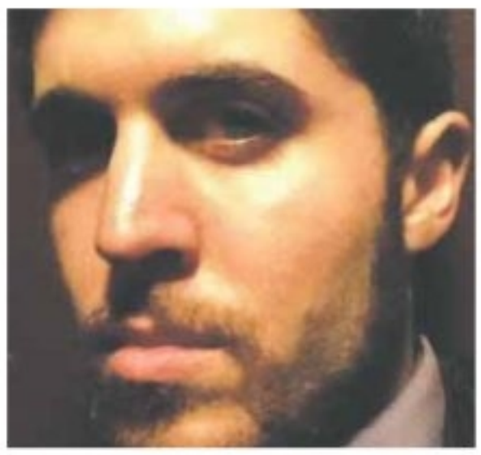

Alleged Satan worshipper charged for death threats

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The Boston Business Journal reported yesterday that construction is under way in Roxbury on an $18 million Dudley Square development that will turn two long-vacant lots into an apartment community, called "Dudley Greenville." METRO

Today's local tweet

"Just saw a grown man in business attire roll a snowball and take it with him down the street... #stayyoung #boston"

@KIMSOFIAEMILIA POINTS OUT A PERK OF BOSTON'S WINTER WEATHER

In the news

Southie lawmaker moves on

BOSTON. State Sen. Jack Hart of South Boston planned to resign yesterday to join a Boston law firm, removing a potential successor to Senate President Therese Murray and touching off a special election to fill his seat.
Hart, 51, spent 16 years on Beacon Hill, where he served in the House before winning the seat held before him by fellow South Boston Democrats Congressman Stephen Lynch and former Senate President William Bulger.
Hart is joining the firm of Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough. SHNS

Three arrested in rape at Curry College

MILTON. Three men were arrested for allegedly raping a Curry College student in a residence hall last week.
Justin Oliver Castor, 19, of Arlington, Shakarus Semexant, 20, of Malden, and Kensley Metellus, 19, of Malden, pleaded not guilty Monday to charges including aggravated rape, according to the Currier Times, the student newspaper of Curry College.
Castor and Metellus previously attended the college but were not enrolled this semester, the Times reported. The incident occurred in a residence hall Jan. 20 and the victim notified the college two days later. METRO

Man fatally shot in Malden

MALDEN. Local and state police are investigating a fatal shooting that occurred in Malden yesterday afternoon.
Police responded to 804 Main St. just before 1 p.m. for a report of shots fired. When they arrived, they found Shawn Clark, 39, of Saugus, with gunshot wounds. He was taken to a hospital where he later died. METRO

DA: Yoga instructor threatened by accused NYC Satan worshipper

The 25-year-old woman met the man at a Faneuil Hall bar · Police say Christopher Cori sent texts threatening to kill her · Held on $100K bail

NICOLAUS CZARNECKI/METRO

The 21-year-old suspect hid behind a wall during his arraignment yesterday.

Threatening texts

"You are nailing shut your own coffin darling. I will see you Friday.

"Join me or face the true death."

"I know where you live. I will burn your house down and kill you without blinking an eye."

THE TEXTS CORI ALLEGEDLY SENT TO THE WOMAN, AS DESCRIBED IN A POLICE REPORT

A New York City man whose Facebook profile includes references to "drinking human blood" and "human sacrifice" was charged yesterday with sending harassing and frightening text messages and voice mails to a 25-year-old yoga instructor he met at a downtown Boston bar.

Christopher Cori, 21, of Queens, N.Y., pleaded not guilty in Brighton District Court to charges including criminal harassment and making threats to kill. He was ordered held on $100,000 bail and sent to Bridgewater State Hospital for a mental health evaluation.

The woman told police that she met Cori at a Faneuil Hall bar earlier this month and gave him her business card when he said he was interested in fitness lessons.

She initially became concerned when Cori began playing with a knife and gave her a bronze pocket watch, according to a police report.

Those concerns turned into fear for her life when she began receiving threatening voice mails and text messages from two phones that police traced to Cori and a relative.

The suspect

- Prosecutors said Cori has a minor police record in New York that included drug charges. When he was arrested, police found him with two pairs of handcuffs, prosecutors said.
- Cori's Facebook profile includes multiple references to Satan worshiping.
- A status update contains only the number "666."
- In his activities, he lists "psychic vampirism," and his interests includes "deflowering virgins."
- He is also a member of a Meetup.com group called "NYC Satanists, Luciferians, Dark Pagans, and LHP Occultists."

Home sweet home

Cori was also charged yesterday with malicious destruction of property for carving satanic symbols on his jail cell.

Prosecutors said he carved pentagrams on the glass of his holding cell overnight.

Cori also pleaded not guilty to that charge.

FACEBOOK

Cori posted this photo of himself on his Facebook profile.

One of the text messages said, "How would you like to find out what it's like to be burned alive," according to a police report.

The woman then went to police to report the messages.

"This is a serious case. The victim is in very significant fear for her life," said Assistant District Attorney Luke Goldworm.

Cori's attorney, Patrick Sheehan, did not argue the amount of bail and reserved the right to do so at a later hearing.

He would not comment to a reporter as he left the courthouse.

Police said they tried to contact Cori and he eventually called a detective back. He told them that he spends weekends at a Cambridge hotel.

The woman attended the arraignment with her father but did not speak.

Cori is due back in court next month.

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In the news

NFL, Harvard to study brain injuries

In response to growing concern over brain injuries in the National Football League, the players association is working on a $100 million deal with Harvard University to study and treat players' injuries and illnesses over the next decade. The Harvard Gazette reported yesterday that the NFL Players Association is negotiating the deal with the NFL to diagnose, treat and prevent professional football players' injuries and illnesses. The initiative, which has been dubbed as the Harvard Integrated Program to Protect and Improve the Health of NFLPA Members, is expected to be announced Thursday at the NFLPA Super Bowl press conference. METRO/MR

3.8K Players have sued the NFL over head injuries.

MBTA inspires work of local artist

A Dorchester artist, convinced that "we're all in transit," recently took to the T for inspiration.

Kacee Evitts is one of the artists in a local collective that is putting on its first-ever exhibition, "No Where. Now Here."

The show surrounds "space and place," Evitts said, and includes an eclectic array of sculptures, multimedia and photography as well as her MBTA oil paintings.

"A few months ago a very dear friend of mine passed away. I started thinking about how we're only in one spot for a short amount of time," Evitts said. "On the T, people are on for a stop or two, then leave. Someone else sits down never knowing who was there before them."

The 29-year-old artist admits that she's always been a people watcher; and what better place to eyeball your fellow human beings than on the T?

"I often wonder what everyone's story is. I like watching how they interact," she said.

KACEE EVITTS

▶ This piece depicts a bustling Red Line platform.

▶ A typical day on the T

Instead of asking T riders to pose for photos, which she used as references, Evitts snapped candids of passengers during her daily commutes.

The paintings depict bundled-up T riders walking on bustling platforms and seated stoically on the train.

"Everybody is just focused on what they have to do next rather than being in the moment," she said.

A spokeswoman for the T said the transit agency is considering an installation of the paintings.

Evitt's collective is made up of five other female artists who regularly meet to bounce around artistic ideas.

"We're hoping we can keep it up. Everyone in the group is busy with life, but we try to meet at least once a week," she said.

The exhibition runs through Feb. 7 at the Harbor Art Gallery at UMass Boston, and is free and open to the public. The artists will be on hand for a reception at the gallery from 5 to 8 p.m. tonight.

Quoted

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LOCAL PAINTER KACEE EVITTS, ON HER T-RIDER SUBJECTS

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Say farewell to 'Boston T People'

Boston-area commuters suffering from wardrobe malfunctions and bad hair days can breathe easy, because after just four months, an online forum that poked fun at the T's most unfortunate and odd-looking riders has been taken down.

In September, Metro first reported that a 22-year-old T rider created the "Boston T People" Facebook page for people to submit candid photographs of unsuspecting passengers.

The creator of page, who asked that she not be named, recently deleted the controversial posts, saying it was becoming "stressful" for her.

"The more people that were looking at it the more I felt obligated to post certain content," she said. "It was fun for a while, but it was nothing more than moving on to other things."

In November, the page creator said an official website — Bostontpeople.com — would be up and running within weeks, but that project also has been shut down.

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▶ The now-defunct page.

"This site is a celebration of life, captured in full living color by the riders of the T."

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The Boston T People Facebook page had racked up hundreds of fans since its creation, but not everyone was pleased.

After Metro reported about the page, its creator reported a wave of backlash — including death threats.

Metro reader Constance Woodbury described the September article as "sick," and said the creator was "cruel."

"I cannot believe that the MBTA is going to allow pictures of their paying customers to be presented on a Facebook page for all the world to look and laugh at regardless of their appearance," Woodbury said in an e-mail to Metro.

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Celtics. Reading

▶ Boston Celtic forward Jason Green interacted with students at the Mason Pilot School in Roxbury as part of the Read To Achieve program.

NICOLAUS CZARNECKI

Celtics players promote reading

Boston Celtics Jason Terry and Jeff Green joined students from the Mason Pilot School in Roxbury yesterday for a play and to promote reading as part of the Read to Achieve Program. Terry and Green acted with students in the play "I Like Myself" by Karen Beaumont and also talked about their favorite books and their love for reading. METRO

In the news

MBTA looking into cause of crumbling concrete at Forest Hills station

BOSTON. A commuter rail passenger yesterday tipped off the MBTA to a potentially dangerous issue at Forest Hills Station in Jamaica Plain.

"Crumbling concrete falling from the ceiling on the Forest Hills commuter rail platform. Dangerous, yes? Please check it out," Elizabeth Costello tweeted a little after 8:30 a.m., to which T officials responded by saying crews were en route to the station.

MBTA Spokesman Joe Pesaturo said no one was hurt, and that the cause of the crumbling was under investigation.

Over the summer, crumbling concrete shut down the Quincy Center parking garage — the oldest garage in the MBTA system.

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Obama urges Congress to make good on immigration system reform

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▶ President Barack Obama shakes hands with supporters after delivering remarks on immigration reform in Las Vegas yesterday.

President Barack Obama called on Congress yesterday to make good on plans to overhaul the U.S. immigration system and offer a path to citizenship for millions of illegal immigrants.

Reflecting the growing clout of Hispanic voters, Obama traveled to Nevada little more than a week after his second inauguration to make the case for swift bipartisan action on immigration.

"We need Congress to act on a comprehensive approach that finally deals with the 11 million undocumented immigrants," Obama said at a high school in Las Vegas.

After years on the back burner, immigration reform has suddenly looked possible as Republicans, chastened by Latino voters who rejected them in the November election, look more kindly on an immigration overhaul.

Obama was speaking a day after a group of influential Senate Democrats and Republicans laid out a broad plan of their own that is similar to White House immigration proposals.

He said that if Congress is unable to act in a timely fashion, he will propose immigration legislation of his own and demand lawmakers vote on it.

Immigration reform could give Obama a landmark second-term legislative achievement, but the White House is mindful that success on such a divisive issue will require a delicate balancing act. **REUTERS**.

Quoted

"We need Congress to act on a comprehensive approach that finally deals with the 11 million undocumented immigrants." OBAMA SAID AT A HIGH SCHOOL IN LAS VEGAS

The president's reform challenge

Obama's challenge is to spur progress toward actual legislation guided by the senators' immigration plan without alienating his fiercest Republican opponents, who might oppose anything with the Democratic president's name on it.

Foreshadowing what could be a critical area of disagreement with Republicans, Obama stopped short of backing the Senate group's requirement that providing a path to citizenship be contingent on first doing more to secure the nation's borders — a concession that was made to appeal to conservatives.

Another point of contention is expected to be whether same-sex couples are granted the same benefits as heterosexual couples under immigration reform — something the White House says Obama will insist upon, but which the Senate group did not deal with. **REUTERS**

In the news

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▶ LaHood

US transportation chief steps down

WASHINGTON. Secretary of Transportation Ray LaHood said yesterday he planned to resign, marking the latest departure from President Barack Obama's Cabinet.

"I have let President Obama know that I will not serve a second term as secretary of the U.S. Department of Transportation," LaHood said in a statement.

LaHood, a Republican and former Illinois congressman, brought a bipartisan element to the Democratic president's team. LaHood said he would stay on until his successor is confirmed by the Senate.

Obama has been under pressure to bring more women and minorities into his Cabinet. **REUTERS**

US companies increasingly use tax havens

WASHINGTON. U.S.-based global companies are increasingly shifting profits into tax havens like Bermuda and Switzerland, a government report said, a finding likely to fuel debate over the taxes corporations pay and their flexibility in locating profits.

The Congressional Research Service analyzed profit data from multinational companies and compared reported profits and other business activity in lower-tax jurisdictions versus higher-tax countries like the United Kingdom and Canada. **REUTERS**

Deal near for Twinkies maker

NEW YORK. Private equity firms Apollo Global Management LLC and C. Dean Metropoulos & Co. are near a deal to buy snack cake brands including Hostess Twinkies and Donettes, two sources familiar with the matter said yesterday.

The so-called stalking horse bid by the private equity firms would serve as the baseline offer for the business, which also includes Dolly Madison bread and Hostess cupcakes. It could still be topped by others at an auction. **REUTERS**

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Poll: Public supports female combat roles

The U.S. public largely backs the Pentagon's decision to lift restrictions on women in combat, a poll showed yesterday.

Sixty-six percent of those polled said they support letting women serve in ground units that engage in close combat, while 26 percent are opposed, according to the survey by the Pew Research Center for the People & the Press and the Washington Post.

Opinion on the issue is little changed from a Washington Post/ABC News survey two years ago, Pew said in a statement.

The Defense Department lifted a longtime ban on women serving in frontline combat units on Thursday. The move marked a historic step toward sexual equality after 11 years of war in which women were increasingly on the battlefield.

The survey found that the public is split over whether the move represented a major change for the U.S. military. Forty-seven percent said it is, while an equal percentage said it is a minor change.

The poll found that 58 percent of Americans think that the policy shift will improve opportunities for women in the military.

Nearly half, or 49 percent, say allowing women to serve in combat roles will not make much difference to military effectiveness.

Among those who say it will have an impact, 29 percent say this will improve effectiveness, versus 15 percent who say it will make it worse. **REUTERS**

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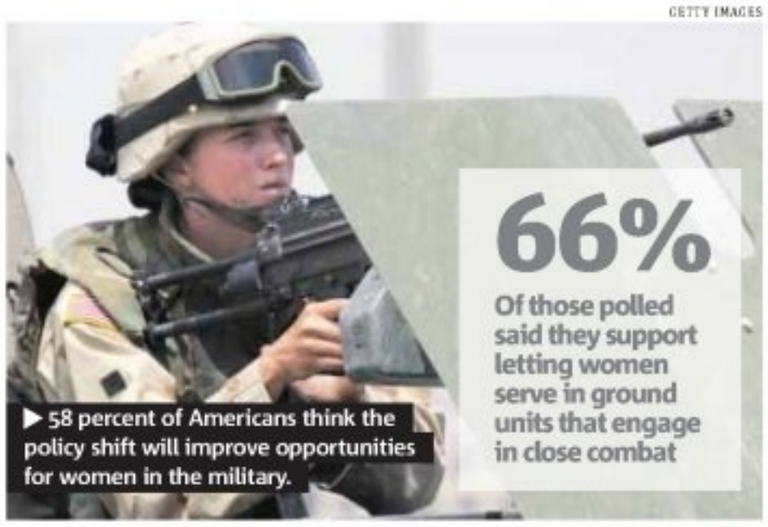

66%

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About the Pew poll

- The poll was conducted from January 24 to 27 among 1,005 adults, after Defense Secretary Leon Panetta ended the combat ban. The margin of error was 3.7 percentage points.
- The poll was conducted by the Pew Research Center for the People & the Press and the Washington Post.

In the news

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▶ Kerry

Senate panel approves Kerry

WASHINGTON. Sen. John Kerry won the unanimous support of the chamber's Foreign Relations Committee yesterday to replace Hillary Clinton as President Barack Obama's new secretary of state.

The full Senate was expected to confirm Kerry later yesterday, setting in motion a special election for his Massachusetts Senate seat.

The senator and losing presidential candidate in 2004 has broad support from fellow Democrats as well as Republicans in the Senate. He is expected to be sworn in as the top diplomat later this week. **REUTERS**

Execution of woman in Texas postponed

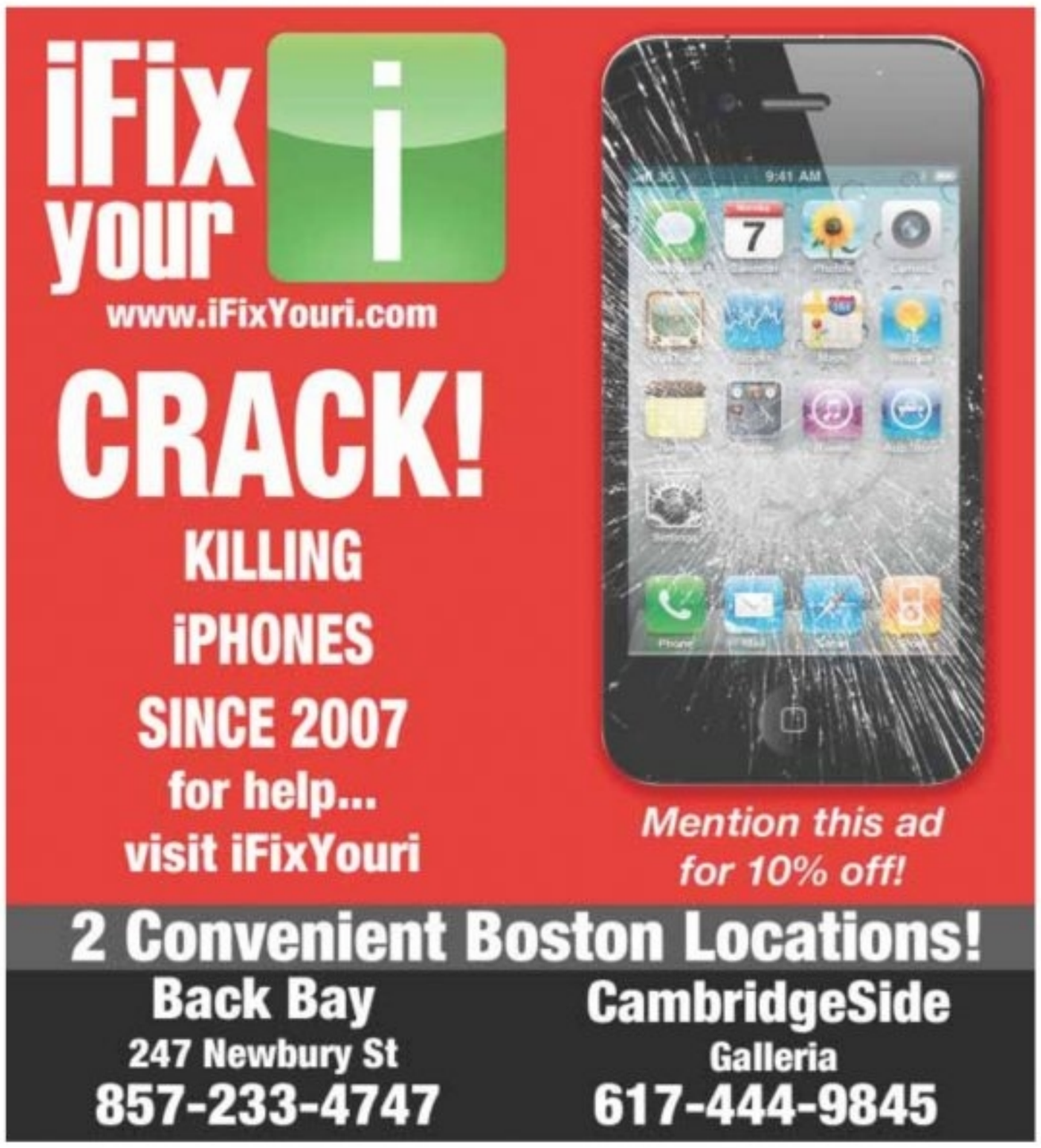
AUSTIN, TEXAS. The execution of Kimberly McCarthy was postponed by a Texas judge yesterday, the day she was to die, to give her lawyers time to argue that racial discrimination played a role in choosing the jury that convicted her.

It was rescheduled for April 3, and, if carried out, McCarthy will be the first woman to be put to death in the United States in nearly three years.

Dallas County District Court Judge Larry Mitchell delayed the execution, which was scheduled to take place after 6 p.m. local time.

"Of the 12 jurors seated at trial, all were white, except one, and eligible non-white jurors were excluded from serving by the state," said Maurie Levin, a University of Texas adjunct law professor who assisted in representing McCarthy.

McCarthy is African-American. **REUTERS**



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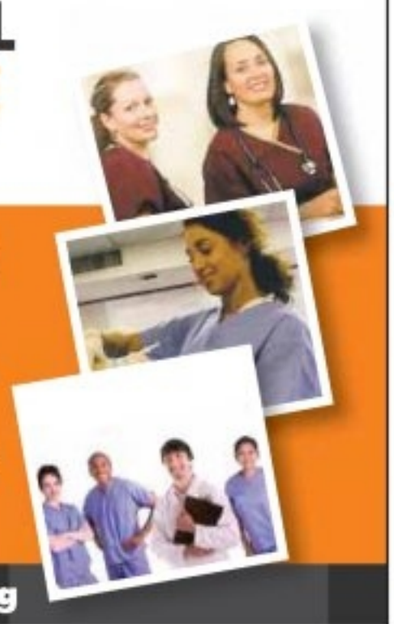

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Egypt unrest pushes state to the brink: Army

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▶ An Egyptian protester flashes the sign for victory as he stands on a burnt-out police vehicle in Cairo's Tahrir Square.

Egypt's army chief said political unrest was pushing the state to the brink of collapse — a stark warning from the institution that ran the country until last year as Cairo's first freely elected leader struggles to curb bloody street violence.

Abdel Fattah al-Sisi, a U.S.-trained general appointed by President Mohamed Mursi last year to head the armed forces, added in a statement yesterday that one of the primary goals of deploying troops in cities on the Suez Canal was to protect the waterway that is vital for Egypt's economy and world trade.

Violence largely subsided yesterday, although some youths again hurled rocks at police lines in Cairo near Tahrir Square.

It seemed unlikely that Sisi was signaling the army wants to take back the power it held for six decades since the end of the colonial era and through an interim period after the overthrow of former air force chief Hosni Mubarak two years ago.

But it did send a powerful message that Egypt's biggest institution, with a huge economic as well as security role and a recipient of massive direct U.S. subsidies, is worried about the fate of the nation after five days of turmoil in major cities.

"The continuation of the struggle of the different political forces ... over the management of state affairs could lead to the collapse of the state," Sisi said. He said the economic, political and social challenges facing the country represented "a real threat to the security of Egypt and the cohesiveness of the Egyptian state." **REUTERS**

52
The comments, published on an official army Facebook page, followed 52 deaths in the past week of disorder and highlighted the mounting sense of crisis facing Egypt, its Islamist head of state and its economy.

News in brief

At least 65 found executed in Syria

At least 65 people were found shot dead with their hands bound in the northern Syrian city of Aleppo yesterday in a "new massacre" in the near two-year revolt against President Bashar al-Assad, activists said.

Opposition campaigners blamed the government, but it was impossible to confirm who was responsible. Assad's forces and rebels have been battling in Syria's commercial hub since July and both have been accused of carrying out summary executions.

The U.N. refugee agency said yesterday the fighting had forced more than 700,000 people to flee. World powers fear the conflict could increasingly envelop Syria's neighbors including Lebanon, Jordan and Turkey, further destabilizing an already explosive region.

Opposition activists posted a video of a man filming at least 51 muddied male bodies alongside what they said was the Queiq River in Aleppo's rebel-held Bustan al-Qasr neighborhood. The bodies had bullet wounds in their heads and some of the victims appeared to be young, possibly teenagers, dressed in jeans, shirts and trainers.

Aleppo-based opposition activists blamed pro-Assad militia fighters. **REUTERS**

60K More than 60,000 people are estimated to have been killed in the Syrian war since it began two years ago.

"They were killed only because they are Muslims."
MAN VIDEOTAPED IN CENTRAL BUSTAN AL-QASR AFTER THE BODIES WERE REMOVED FROM THE RIVER

News in brief

Nightclub crackdown after Brazil tragedy

Cities across Brazil are beginning to crack down on nightclubs to ensure they comply with fire regulations following a weekend blaze that killed 231 people at a club in the southern university town of Santa Maria. The fire was Brazil's deadliest in half a century and resonated across the country. **REUTERS**

Other perils

Many fear similar fires can happen at:

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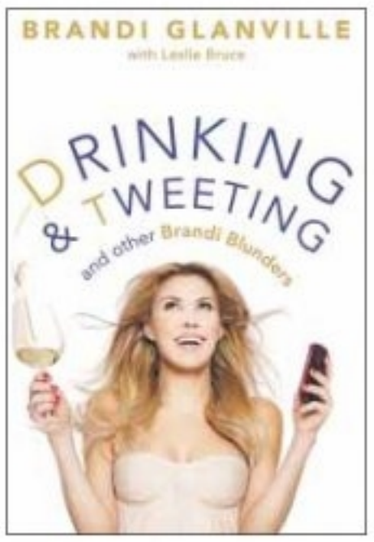
Metro's **Dorothy Robinson** shares her take on the world of gossip @dorothyatmetro dorothy.robinson@metro.us

Brandi Glanville's best revenge? A new vagina (we're serious)

Holy cats, you guys. **Brandi Glanville** is insane! How do we know this (besides reading every tabloid story ever)? Let me present some excerpts from "The Real Housewives of Beverly Hills" star's new book, "Drinking & Tweeting and other Brandi Blunders," which were obtained by Life & Style:



Her reaction after finding out about Eddie Cibrian's affair with LeAnn Rimes: "I'm not entirely sure how I ended up on the floor of my closet sobbing … a teary-eyed Eddie found me lying there and without saying so much as a word, he started kissing me all over … he pulled off my workout pants and we started having sex," she recalls. "He swore up and down … that it was completely innocent. In that moment, it was easier to believe him, because I just couldn't stand the thought of being without him."

How she got her revenge: There are some things you can't unread. This is one of them. Fair warning? Read on: "A brand-new vagina would be an Eddie-free vagina. … I decided that since Eddie had ruined my vagina for me, he could pay for a new one. I gave [the doctor's office] Eddie's credit card number," she says about undergoing a vaginal rejuvenation for $12,000. Ack!

Quoted

"I would like to thank my ex-husband, Edward Cibrian, for giving me all the material I could ever need to write this book and for helping me discover the strong independent woman inside of me."
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But, really, no hard feelings: "I would like to thank my ex-husband, Edward Cibrian, for giving me all the material I could ever need to write this book and for helping me discover the strong independent woman inside of me," she writes.

What? No thanking the surgeon for discovering the new vagina outside of her?

Glanville's new book about getting new lady bits will probably become a best-seller. And then we can all just give up on life.

Talking points

Bradley Cooper will not be Lance Armstrong

Despite telling BBC News earlier this month that he'd be up for starring in a **J.J. Abrams**-produced biopic on disgraced cyclist **Lance Armstrong**, Oscar-nominee **Bradley Cooper** insists he's not interested. "Oh my God, that's so nuts," Cooper tells Access Hollywood, adding that he "had no idea what [the interviewer] was talking about" during the red carpet chat.

Beckham still needs to prove herself

Victoria Beckham is enjoying success in the fashion world, but she still feels like she has to prove herself. "I don't have to work, I need to work. All these [other fashion designers], they're not just been given anything. They've worked hard. And I've never been given anything either," she tells Elle UK. "You've got to trust people. And because I am a control freak, sometimes that's difficult for me. "

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Victoria Beckham

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Tatum on becoming a new dad

Channing Tatum is terrified of his impending parenthood, but in a good way. "I don't think there's one thing that doesn't terrify you, but in the most unbelievably beautiful way," the 32-year-old "Magic Mike" star tells E! News. "Someone said it's really like watching your heart jump out of your body and run around, and I think that can possibly be the coolest thing that I've heard of." As for how wife **Jenna Dewan-Tatum** is handling pregnancy? "I mean, women just sort of turn into like animals in this sort of stage that they're in," he says. "She's a complete animal right now. You can ask her, but in the most beautiful-like humanistic animal-y way. She's just a machine."

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The feed ...

Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.

Today, Neil Patrick Harris is hoping for some change, Dita Von Teese is amused and Elle DeGeneres throws a pretty wild party.

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Come on, Boy Scouts, do the right thing. Diversity should be honored and valued. There should be a merit badge for it.

@DitaVonTeese
"Sasquatch" is one of my favorite words, so the TV show "Finding Bigfoot"=big LOLs. Lines like "a squatchy area", "goin' squatchin'"...!

@TheEllenShow
I had a great birthday, and now the house is finally back in order. I just need to figure out how to get @JimmyKimmel out of my bathtub.

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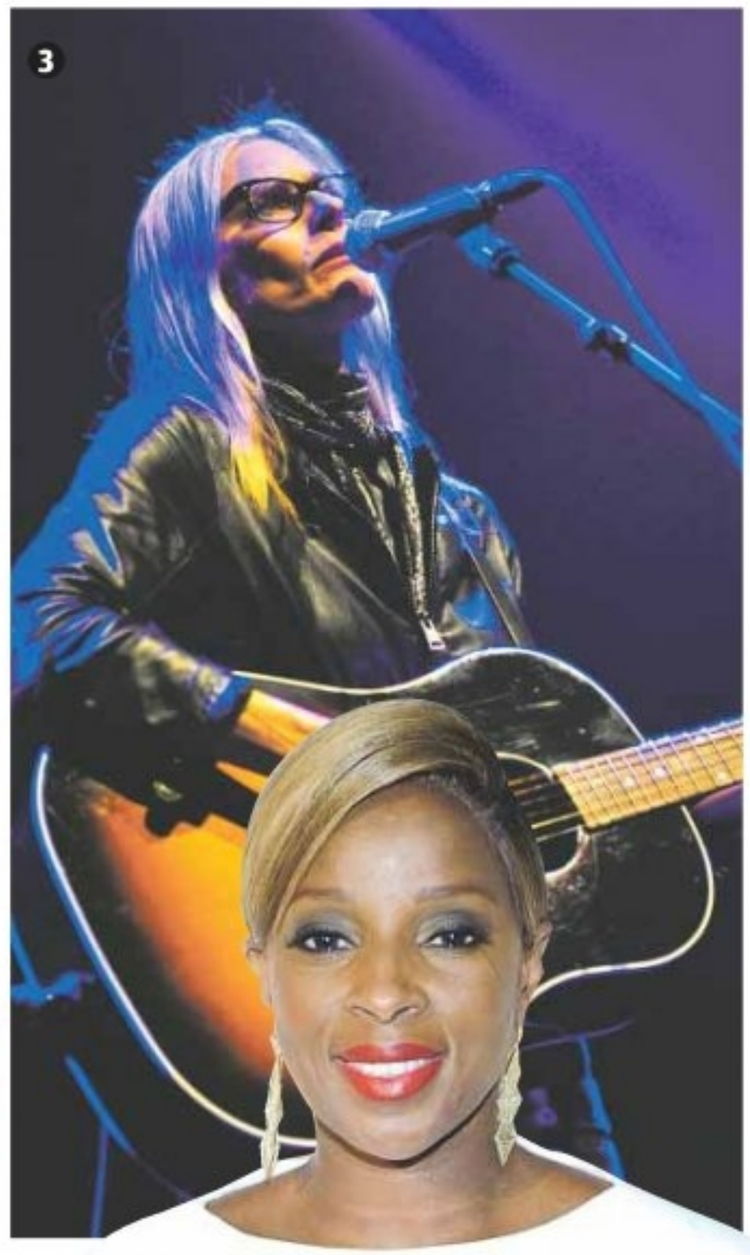

You can pick your friends, you can pick your nose ...

1 **Katy Perry** had some cheeky fun with her new Madame Tussauds Las Vegas statue on Saturday.

2 **Gemma Arterton** and **Jeremy Renner** promoted their No. 1 film, "Hansel & Gretel: Witch Hunters," in Australia on Tuesday.

3 When she's not cleaning houses on "Portlandia," **Aimee Mann** is still playing gigs. The singer performed in London on Monday.

4 What a chatterbox! **John Leguizamo** presented at the Garden of Laughs comedy show, to benefit the Garden of Dreams Foundation, at the Theater at Madison Square Garden on Saturday.

5 Winning smile! **Hillary Clinton** held an online town hall on Monday in Washington, DC..

6 **Mary J. Blige** looked smokin' at the premiere of Lifetime's "Betty & Coretta" on Monday in NYC.

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In the news

YouTube to launch paid subscriptions

It looks like YouTube is about to take a big step toward monetizing its videos.

The company is planning to launch paid subscriptions for a couple dozen channels as soon as April, according to a new report in AdAge citing "multiple people familiar with the plans."

The online video site has reportedly reached out to a "small group" of channels asking them to apply to be among the first paid channels. There is also talk that YouTube might charge for live events like concerts and libraries of older episodes.

AdAge reports that the initial subscription costs would be between $1 and $5 per month. These channels also would have the option to show ads.

Right now, this effort is being billed as an "experiment," but it's one that YouTube reps have been suggesting for a long time. YouTube's CEO Salar Kamangar teased the idea multiple times last year and noted during the Reuters Media and Technology Summit in June that it had "seen demand from the kind of networks that have smaller audiences on cable."

By effectively launching a la cart and pay-per-view options for consuming video content, YouTube would likely bring in more money from ad dollars and a cut of the subscription revenue.

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▶ Soon, you might have to pony up a few bucks to watch your favorite videos.

Predict your video's viral potential

Viral videos are famously impossible to predict. Who, for instance, could have foreseen the phenomenal success of Rebecca Black's "Friday" or Psy's "Gangnam Style"?

Yet, Unruly, a UK firm that specializes in collecting data around viral videos, claims it has a tool that can help advertisers predict the amount of earned media their videos are likely to attract across social media and how much advertisers should spend promoting their videos. Dubbed Unruly Share Rank, the algorithmic tool will help advertisers "gain insight into the psychological, social and content triggers that affect the success of their video content," according to the company, which also promises "they'll know the word-of-mouth potential of their video before they spend anything on media."

The company didn't disclose exactly how Share Rank works, except that it's based on seven years' worth of data from the Unruly Viral Video Chart and the algorithm includes more than 10,000 data points. (Disclosure: Mashable is a partner for Unruly's Global Ads Chart.) Such data is combined with the emotional reactions of test subjects and on their stated willingness to share the video. Pricing for Share Rank was not disclosed.

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▶ Psy's "Gangnam Style" video has over 1 billion hits on YouTube.

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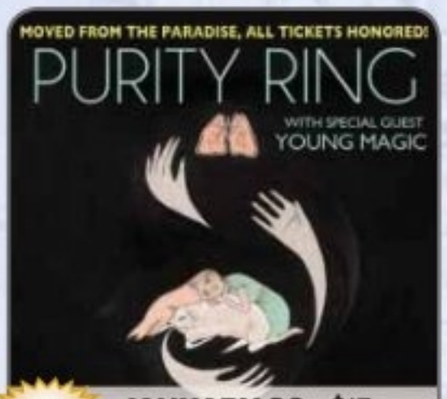

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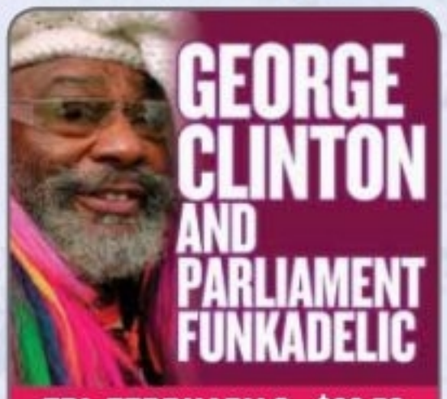

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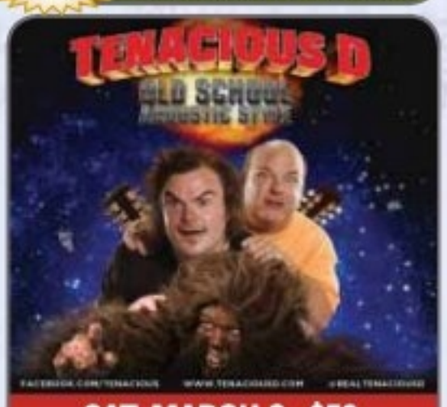

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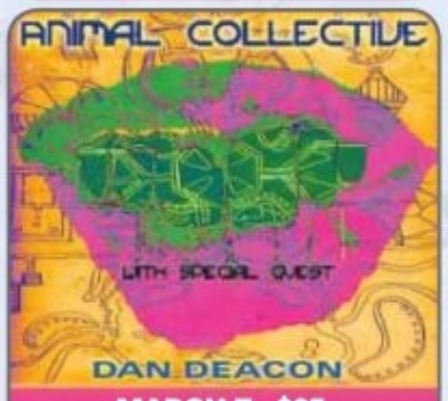

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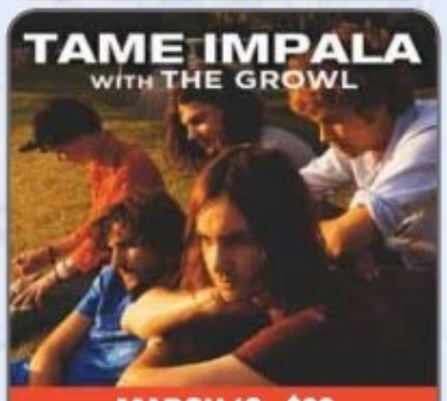

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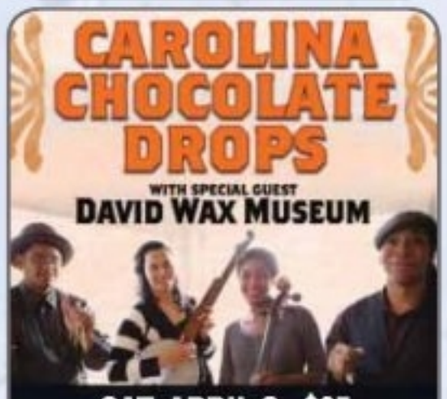

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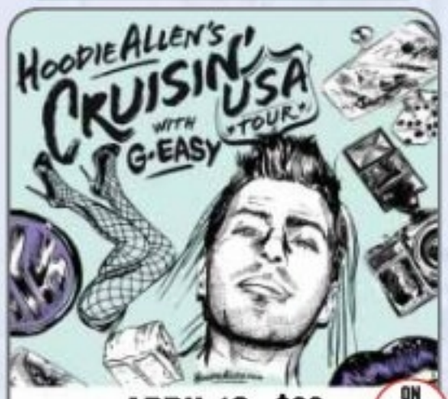

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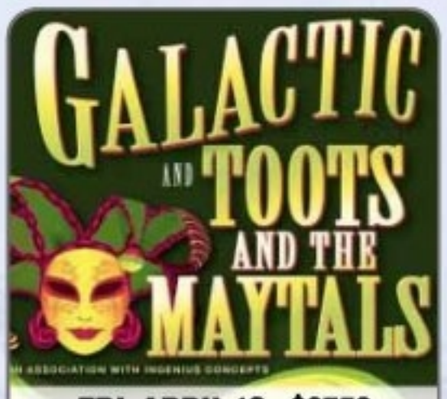

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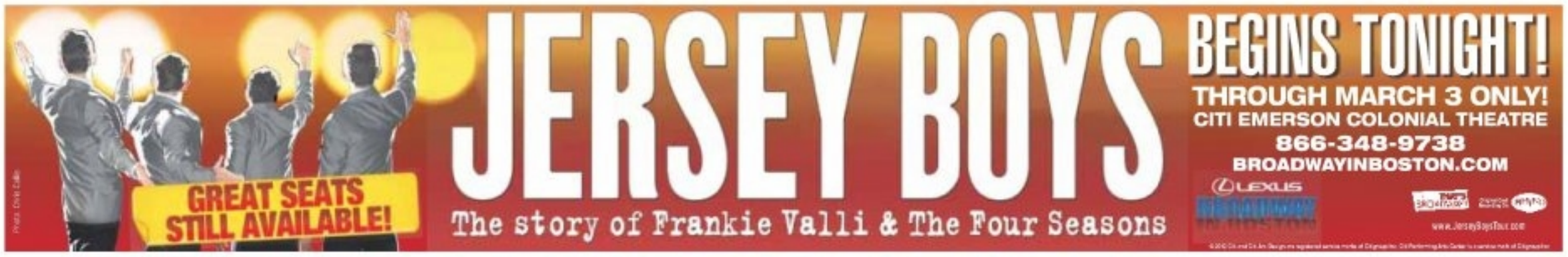

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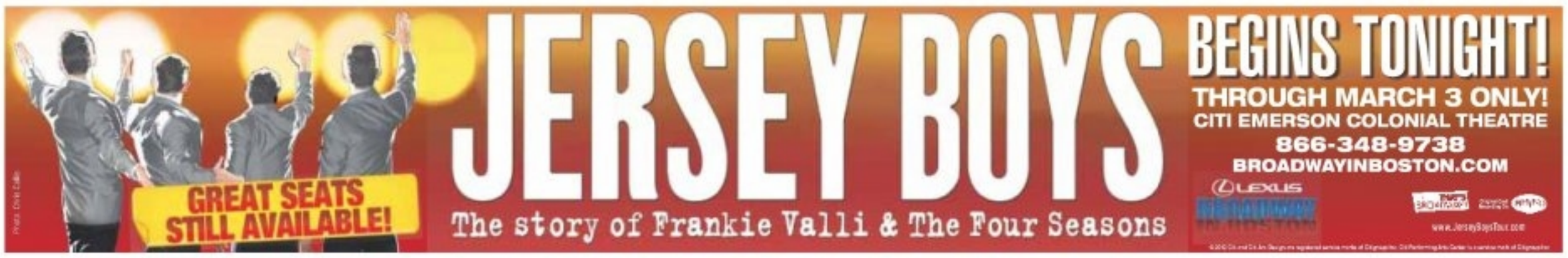

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It's Peter Farrelly vs. the Web for 'Movie 43'

The famed director and producer will admit that there's some great humor online, but says his new film can best websites like Funny or Die

Before director Peter Farrelly will get on with our interview, he needs to make sure he's talking to someone from a real publication. "Metro News sounds like something out of 'Superman,'" Farrelly says. "'I work for the Metro News!'" After assuring him that we are in fact very real, it's time to talk about the raunchy comedy anthology "Movie 43," a project that's also very real, even if Farrelly is working without his brother Bobby, his co-director on such career-definers as "Dumb and Dumber" and "There's Something About Mary."

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▶ Peter Farrelly coaches Stephen Merchant and Halle Berry on the set of "Movie 43," which is in theaters now.

You've got some big stars in this, some with Oscars. How did you convince them to take part?

Well, when we got Kate [Winslet] and Hugh [Jackman], Charlie Wessler, the producer, told them that the Coen Brothers were going to direct them, and then I showed up and said that they'd had to cancel. [Laughs] I was nervous showing up with Kate Winslet and Halle Berry and Hugh Jackman. I thought when they got on the set they were going to blink and say, "You're kidding. I can't be doing this." Not only did they not, they embraced it like it was their first movie ever and they wanted to go for it.

How do you think approaching a project like this has changed since the advent of Funny or Die and the Internet in general?

Q&A

How did you decide which segments to direct yourself?

I just picked the best ones. [Laughs] Because I'm the producer. Um, no, I picked the ones that I thought were the funniest. And by the way, it's going to get about a 6 percent on the Rotten Tomatoes scale if we're lucky, just so you know. Because it's groundbreaking and odd and offensive and critics aren't going to know what do with it. But it plays like a rock concert. But it's not for everybody, and the people it's not for mainly will be the critics.

The world's attention spans have diminished drastically in the last 10 years, so you can't just have a movie of shorts. What we had to do is have a wraparound story that explains what "Movie 43" is and keeps you wanting to know what's going to happen at the end. The difference between this, by the way, and a Funny or Die — and I love Funny or Die, it's fantastic — but they do have limitations. They can only go so far. There are rules and regulations to being on the Internet. And we don't have that. It's as hard an R-rated movie as they come.

How much do sites like Funny or Die work as far as finding new comedy talent?

That's where we got all our new talent, in fact. Charlie would scour Funny or Die and the entire Internet for funny pieces and then contact those guys or women and say, "Hey, that's hilarious. We're doing a movie of shorts, you want to write one?" Funny or Die and the Internet and all that has definitely advanced comedy, I will say that.

That's big of you to say, as a film comedy guy.

That's what I feel. I can't believe how good comedy on television is getting. You used to go three or four years without seeing a good comedy ... The bar has been raised. You've got to be funnier to get out there.

Ned Ehrbar
METRO WORLD NEWS

TV watch list

'Top Chef: Seattle'

REALITY. The chefs set sail to Alaska, where cruise ship-themed challenges — creating an amuse bouche from iceberg lettuce; putting a new spin on surf and turf — might make some seasick. **10 p.m., Bravo**

'The Americans'

DRAMA. Russian-born KGB agents (Keri Russell and Matthew Rhys) are on a mission to infiltrate and destroy the U.S. government in the early 1980s, all while under the cover of an average suburban couple raising kids on the outskirts of D.C. **Series premiere, 10 p.m., FX**

FRANK OCKENFELS/FX

▶ Keri Russell and Matthew Rhys are KGB spies on "The Americans."

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LOCAL BOY IS NOW ONE OF THE 'JERSEY BOYS'

▶ From left, Michael Lomenda, Nick Cosgrove, Miles Jacoby and John Gardiner are "Jersey Boys."

Wellesley native Miles Jacoby on playing one of the Four Seasons He says he learned to approach the songs as if he had written them himself

Miles Jacoby's job in "Jersey Boys" sounds intimidating: He plays living legend Bob Gaudio, a member of the Four Seasons, and the songwriter behind their many hits.

"It's a responsibility," says Jacoby. "Every night I have to remind myself that this guy is real. This is not just some story and some character, but someone's life. He and Frankie [Valli] and these guys put it all out there."

"Jersey Boys" tells the story of the band's progression from blue-collar kids to pop superstars in the '60s and '70s, revealing all the hardships that came with such success — the money problems, love affairs and battles between members.

Jacoby met Gaudio before filling his shoes onstage. The Hall-of-Famer offered advice.

"He said 'Approach these songs as a songwriter. Don't perform them from the outside in, because you wrote them. They're more personal to you,'" recalls Jacoby.

Gaudio wrote almost all of the group's famous songs, including "Sherry," "Walk Like A Man" and "Big Girls Don't Cry." One of Jacoby's favorite moments in the musical occurs when the Four Seasons perform those "big three."

"The play has been going on for almost 40 minutes before we sing a Four Seasons song, and we can hear people just chomping at the bit," he says. "We explode these songs out there and it's one of the most energetic, exciting moments I've ever had onstage."

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Back to Colonial times

Jacoby, a Wellesley native, grew up watching shows at Boston's Colonial Theatre — the same stage where he'll perform "Jersey Boys."

"It doesn't feel real," he says. "I still can't believe I get to come play my hometown and at the theater that made me fall in love with musical theater."

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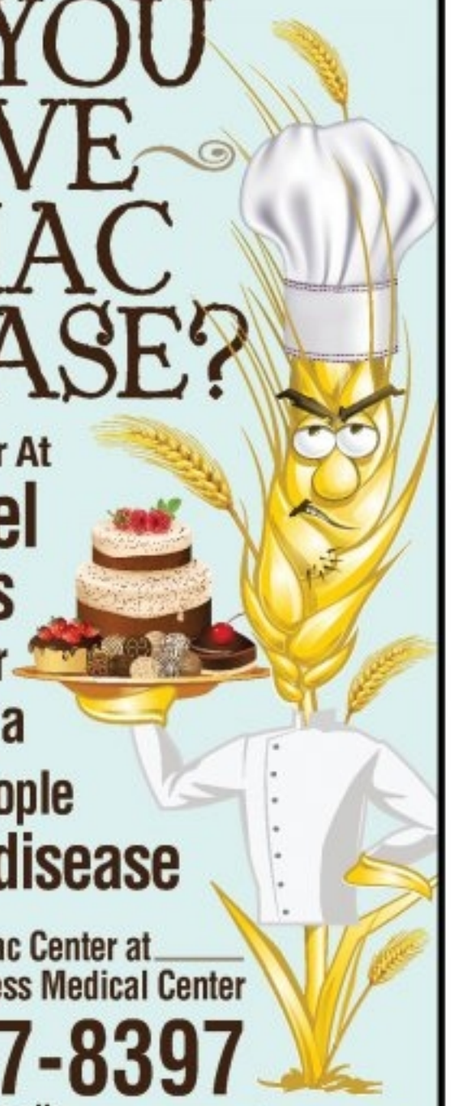

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You might want to stand up for this: We're on our butts more than ever during the day, and it's hurting our health.

"We recently conducted a study showing that the life expectancy of U.S. adults could increase by two years if all adults reduced their sitting time to less than three hours a day," says I-Min Lee, a researcher with Harvard University.

And it gets worse: In October, the New York Times published research from the journal Diabetologia, which looked at 18 studies involving nearly 800,000 people. The authors found that the average adult spent 50 to 70 percent of his or her time sitting, and that those who sat the most had "a 112 percent increase in their relative risk of developing diabetes, a 147 percent increase in their risk for cardiovascular disease and a 49 percent greater risk of dying prematurely — even if they regularly exercised."

If you're like many of us, you're at your desk most of the day, only to come home and plop down in front of the TV after work. How to fix this? We asked some trainers for their most practical tips — because breaking the cycle doesn't have to involve swapping your desk chair for an exercise ball!

This turns your work space into a no-sit zone. Work EZ FitDesk, $125, www.uncagedergonomics.com

When you must sit

Get a mini workout!

Joey Gonzalez, chief operating officer and trainer at Barry's Bootcamp, **www.barrysbootcamp.com**

- **"Lift feet off the ground and contract lower abdominals.** Try and increase the amount of time as your abs get stronger." – Gonzalez
- **"Place a Pilates ball between your knees and squeeze and pulse.** Do 20 reps and rest then repeat. This great for the inner thigh and lower abdominals." – Simone De La Rue, celebrity trainer, www.bodybysimonetv.com
- **"Leave a golf ball under your desk and slip your shoes off during the day to roll out your feet."** – Sulavar
- **"Straighten your legs on occasion to prevent tightening of the calves and hamstrings.** Flexing each foot while sitting helps, too. Stretching in your chair will also keep your body from locking up. A little bit goes a long way." – Dr. Florence Comite, www.comitemd.com
- **If you have an office:** "Find a spot against the wall and get into a wall sit. Legs should be bent 90 degrees. Try and increase the amount of time as your legs get stronger."
- **Lunge, don't lounge:** Book the conference room when you have some reading to do, and make good use of it. "While reviewing documents, stand up and begin alternating lunges. Every minute or so, hold in the lower position for as long as possible. Then switch and repeat on the other side."

Rob Sulavar, writer, trainer, sports nutritionist and founder of **www.bandanatraining.com**

- **Grab coffee outside the break room.** "The change of scenery might just inspire something genius."

Laura Miranda, physical therapist and trainer, **www.stronghealthywoman.com**

- **Drink up.** "Keep a bottle of water on your desk at all times. Drink enough so you have to go to the bathroom one or two times an hour. Choose to use the bathroom one floor up or down for even greater effect."
- **Go all Pavlov.** "Pair mundane office habits with quick, healthy activities to trigger movement all day long. For example, each time your phone rings stand up."
- **Ring the alarm.** "Set a reminder to go off on your computer or cell phone every 30 minutes to get out of your chair. Bend over and touch your toes or walk away from your desk for two minutes."
- **Wear a pedometer.** "It can serve as a cheap and easy feedback mechanism that will make you aware."

Advice

Margo Donohue, boot camp instructor, **www.brooklynfitchick.com**

- **Get a standing desk:** If it's too impractical to use at work, set one up at home. "I haven't looked back, and that was about two years ago," she says.
- **Turn your meetings into walk-and-talks:** "Just say, 'Look, I've been sitting all day, do you mind if we do this standing up?' Most people will say, 'Let's do that.'"

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Test your diet IQ!

1 Which of these three foods is the highest in calories?
- a. 1 tablespoon olive oil
- b. 1 tablespoon butter
- c. 1 tablespoon margarine

Answer: A – Olive oil has 120 calories per tablespoon while butter and margarine clock in at 100 calories per tablespoon. However, olive oil is still the best choice because it's a heart-healthy fat. Just be sure to use it sparingly if you're watching your weight.

2 How much walking would it take to burn off the calories in a bagel with cream cheese?
- a. 45 minutes
- b. 1 hour, 10 minutes
- c. 1 hour, 50 minutes

Answer: C – To burn the 550 calories in a typical bagel with cream cheese, a 150-pound woman would have to walk at 3 miles per hour for an hour and 50 minutes! Scoop out the bagel or use a 100 percent whole wheat English muffin instead. And opt for a thin spread of cream cheese or, better yet, heart-healthy peanut butter.

3 At a restaurant, which of these changes will trim the most calories from your meal?
- a. Skipping a glass of wine
- b. Passing on a piece of bread or small roll from the bread basket
- c. Asking for salad dressing on the side and only using 1-2 tablespoons

Answer: C – Skipping the glass of wine or bread will save you about 120 calories, but you'll slash far more by trimming the dressing. Most restaurants add at least 4 tablespoons of dressing to a standard side salad. With each tablespoon clocking in around 90 calories, you can save 200-300 calories by ordering it on the side and using only 1-2 tablespoons.

▶ Ordering your salad with dressing on the side — and only using a tiny bit! — will save you big.

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4 Which of these cuts of meat is the highest in calories?
- a. Prime rib
- b. Filet mignon
- c. Strip steak

Answer: A – A typical restaurant portion of prime rib has close to 1,000 calories. An equal portion of the strip steak will be about 600 calories and the filet mignon clocks in around 500 calories.

5 True or false: Brown rice has fewer calories than white rice.

Answer: FALSE – A cup of brown rice has the same amount of calories as a cup of white rice. Brown rice is a whole grain, so it's the nutrition and fiber winner — but, from a purely calorie-saving perspective, there's no weight loss advantage to choosing brown over white. Watch your portions with either — 1 cup is about 210 calories.

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6 True or false: Skim milk has more sugar than whole milk.

Answer: FALSE — Both skim and whole milk have 12 grams of naturally occurring sugar (lactose) per cup. The only difference between the two is the fat content (and therefore the calories). One cup of whole milk clocks in at 150 calories and skim milk provides 80 calories.

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BSA allowing gays: Change of heart or publicity stunt?

Being a gay Eagle Scout, I was removed from the organization after 16 years of service and learning. The way that the BSA is handling this situation is being done too publicly. If they were making the change as the right thing do, this would have been a swift and quiet change. Instead, it's a push to either regain their lost corporate sponsors or find sponsors that will reaffirm or support their beliefs. For a long time, BSA was a large part of my life — but in order for me to believe in the change, there has to be affirmative action with their changes, not just shifting the blame. I'm a believer in the program and hope one day they can regain their focus and always stand up for what's right.

RODERICK KOHL, VIA E-MAIL

Quoted

"I applaud Alex Manning's letter. But it isn't specific enough. We're talking about the eventual flooding of Boston, New York, New Orleans, London and Paris."

DANIEL CANTOR, VIA E-MAIL; RE: "CHANGE ATTITUDES, NOT THE CLIMATE" (METRO, JAN. 29)

Fewer fightin', more helpful words

RE: "GIVE ME LIBERTY, NOT MORE GOVERNMENT" (METRO, JAN. 29)

To be sure, letter writer John Bevan clearly does not understand the Second Amendment. It was not the intention of the founders that the people were to be armed as a matter to protect themselves from a tyrannical government, it was most assuredly the people were to be armed in order to call up an army quickly in times of invasion or insurrection from within since at that time there was no standing army. Mr. Bevan's paranoid "out of my cold dead hands" sounds more like he is trying to start something than to explain his second amendment rights.

WILLIAM H. HOUSE, VIA E-MAIL

"I do not believe in the general promiscuous toting of guns. I think it should be sharply restricted and only under licenses."

NRA CEO KARL T. FREDERICK, 1934

In response to John Bevan's call for more guns in our communities, I give you the words from the 1934 Congressional testimony of NRA Chief Executive Officer Karl T Frederick. Given Mr. Frederick had seen the lawlessness and senseless violence of Prohibition up close, we would do well to heed his words lest history be repeated.

JOSEPH CONNELL, VIA E-MAIL

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Horoscope

♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** Guard against an inclination to do things the hard way, especially where your work is concerned. If you're using an ineffective procedure, try something different.

♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** Even if your hunches are usually correct, if they are more negative than positive you should dump them as quickly as you can. Your imagination may be playing tricks on you.

♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** It's time to phase out something that isn't living up to its potential in terms of profits. The longer you stay with it, the more money it will end up costing you.

♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** When pursuing an objective, take care not to walk over others. It might end up costing you far more than just time and money.

♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** Don't make the mistake of thinking that aggressiveness is the same as vision. Before imposing any of your ideas on your co-workers, make sure they're feasible.

♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** Watch out for any little changes that may have been made to something without your or anybody else's knowledge. They could alter matters greatly.

♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** It isn't likely that you'll be proud of your efforts if you're more interested in getting things done than you are in getting them done right. Quality over quantity is your mantra today.

♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** Although you will be a keen observer, unfortunately your focus is likely to be more on others' failings than on their many positive qualities.

♎ Libra **Sept. 23-Oct. 23.** It would be a huge mistake on your part to spend funds you have earmarked for something essential. If you're not disciplined in the handling of money, you'll never get ahead.

♏ Scorpio **Oct. 24-Nov. 22.** Remember the adage: "If it isn't broke, don't try to fix it," and your life will be much easier. Don't needlessly ask for trouble.

♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** You're not likely to look good in the eyes of others if you try to shirk or displace blame. Spend your energy making corrections, not accusations.

♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19.** Unless you pay close attention to what you're spending, you won't be a good manager of your money. Don't shell out what you can't afford to lose.

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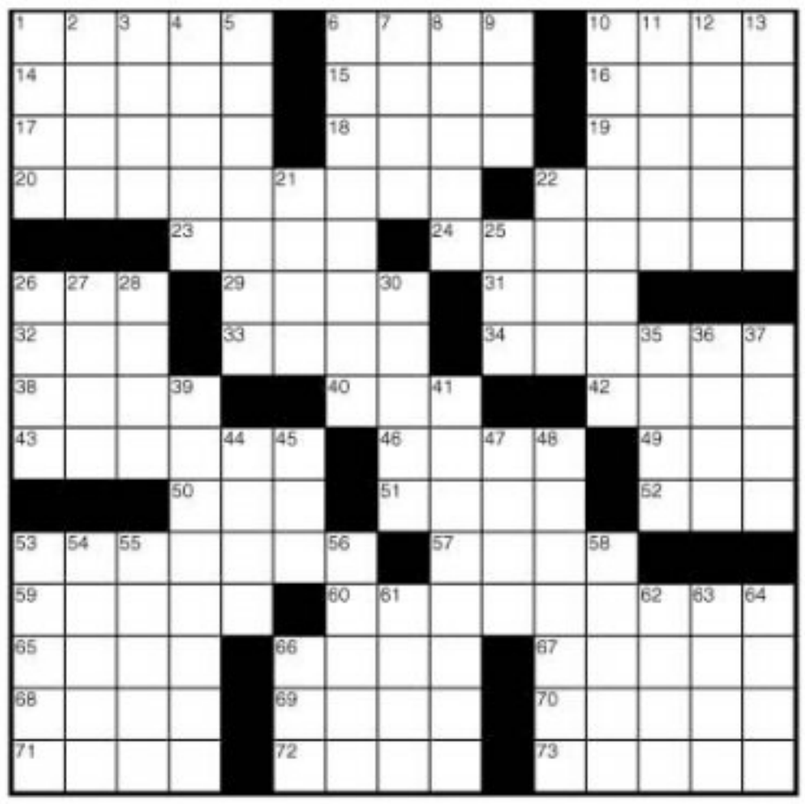

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Solution to yesterday's crossword

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Hamilton teaching B's, Boston how to Dougie

Bruins rookie Hamilton injects youthful energy into team with savvy veterans Pretty assists have B's fans thinking he's the 'next big thing'

Bruins rookie defenseman Dougie Hamilton has only played six games in the NHL, so it's a little early to start writing a speech for his induction into the Hockey Hall of Fame in Toronto.

Still, on a team full of veterans and established NHL players that is a legitimate Stanley Cup contender, the 19-year-old has already left a big impression on his teammates and coaches. He was tied for the team lead in assists (4) as of yesterday, having already notched a two-assist night (his first career multi-point game) and first star last Friday in a 4-2 win over the Islanders.

"He's been real great for us," said left wing Milan Lucic. "You can tell that he's got a lot of confidence and skill. You can see why he was a highly touted player before he came to the NHL, so we're really lucky and fortunate to have him. Let's hope he keeps progressing."

Monday was an important date for Hamilton because it was his fifth game to impress Boston's front office. Had he gotten off to a slow start this season, he would have been sent back down to junior hockey in Niagara. Instead the B's confirmed he would stay for the remainder of the year just prior to Monday's win over the Hurricanes.

The Bruins have plenty of depth in terms of defensemen with Aaron Johnson, not to mention Matt Bartkowski, Torey Krug and David Warsofsky in Providence. And they certainly use that depth to their advantage. What's most impressive is that Hamilton has had three different defensive partners already, but that hasn't seemed to rattle him, as he's turned in improved performances in each game.

"He's been playing since September, with his junior team then at the World Junior Tournament [for Canada]," said Bruins head coach Claude Julien. "We like his size and the way he can move down the ice; he has good hockey sense. You have to be pleased and impressed with him."

There will obviously be bumps in the road for the rookie this year — bad games, mistakes, injuries and losses — but for now, Bruins GM Peter Chiarelli's master plan is unfolding perfectly, as he has seamlessly plugged Hamilton onto this year's team.

It only took the Garden's DJ three home games to figure out that "Teach Me How To Dougie," the one-hit wonder by Cali Swag District, needed to become a staple of any Bruins-related playlist.

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▶ Bruins rookie Dougie Hamilton has looked razor-sharp so far in 2013.

Thank you Kessel

The Toronto Maple Leafs kick themselves every day for trading two first-round picks and a second for winger Phil Kessel in 2009.

- **The Bruins** netted Tyler Seguin, minor league forward Jared Knight and Dougie Hamilton from the Kessel trade.
- **Boston fans** chant "Thank you, Kessel" nearly every time the Leafs come to the Garden. They are in town on March 7 and March 25.

Sports in brief

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Ravens LB Lewis denies report about PED use

Ravens linebacker Ray Lewis denied the accuracy of a Sports Illustrated report yesterday that said he had tried to obtain deer-antler velvet extract in order to return from his torn triceps injury that caused him to miss half of the 2012 regular season.

"Two years ago, that was the same report," Lewis said. "It's not worthy of the press."

Celtics may be interested in Toronto PG Lowry

ESPN's Marc Stein hinted that the Celtics may be interested in acquiring Raptors point guard Kyle Lowry now that Rajon Rondo is done for the season with an ACL injury.

"Sense I get is it's far likelier Celts pursue Kyle Lowry and his cap-friendly contract," Stein tweeted. "But do Celts have assets to land Raps PG?"

Lowry is averaging 13.5 points per game in 2012-13.

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In the news

Bye, bye A-Rod?

The Yankees are looking to void their contract with third baseman Alex Rodriguez after new allegations of illegal performance-enhancing drug use surfaced yesterday.

No MLB team has ever voided a contract due to PED use.

Influenza Vaccine Study

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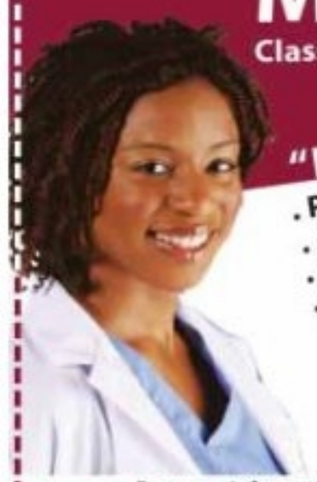

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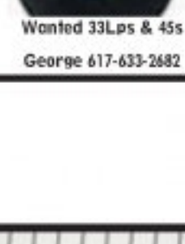

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Inside the Converse conversion

Lovejoy Wharf gets a much-needed boost By 2015 the area could house 45,000 square feet of retail space, a restaurant and a residential tower

Tax relief

$9.9M

Due to the public investment by the developers, the city of Boston is providing $9.9 million in property tax relief over 25 years.

—Source: Boston Redevelopment Authority

A dilapidated wharf between the Zakim and Charlestown bridges will soon see a major face-lift.

A $230 million revitalization of Lovejoy Wharf will include a rehabilitation of a nine-story office building and the construction of a 14-story residential tower.

Sneaker giant, Converse, which is currently headquartered in North Andover, is expected to occupy 188,000 square feet of space at 160 Washington St. when the project is completed in April 2015.

The wharf, located in the Bulfinch Triangle, currently houses two rundown buildings and a ramshackle pier. In December, the Boston Redevelopment Authority approved the project, which is being developed by the Beal Companies and The Related Companies.

In addition to Converse, the building at 160 North Washington St. will house 45,000 square feet of ground-floor retail, including a 300-seat cafe-style restaurant. The residential tower will be erected adjacent to 160 North Washington St. at 131 Beverly St. and will include a 10-story connector to the Converse headquarters.

Love, joy and money

As part of the deal, the developers of the wharf are also investing $15 million in public infrastructure to spruce up the area. The investment includes a new Harborwalk, three quarters of an acre of public waterfront space, floating docks and public water transportation facilities.

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This is what developers say the new Lovejoy Wharf will look like.

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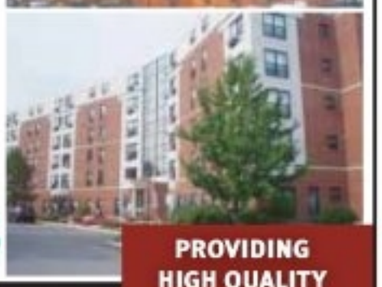

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Home prices see best yearly gain since 2006

▶ Home prices are higher, but consumer confidence is lower.

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Home prices rose in November to rack up their best yearly gain since the housing crisis began, a further sign that the sector is on the mend.

But data on consumer confidence yesterday was less encouraging, with moods falling to their lowest level in more than a year as Americans became more pessimistic about the economic outlook and their financial prospects in the wake of higher taxes for many.

The S&P/Case Shiller composite index of 20 metropolitan areas gained 0.6 percent in November on a seasonally adjusted basis, in line with economists' forecasts.

Prices in the 20 cities rose 5.5 percent year over year, making for the strongest yearly price increase since August 2006, when prices were on their way down.

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The housing market became a bright spot for the economy last year as prices rose and inventory tightened. The sector is expected to contribute to economic growth in 2013.

"What we're seeing is a really a gradual improvement in the overall economy," said Anthony Chan, chief economist for Chase Private Client in New York.

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ANTHONY CHAN, CHIEF ECONOMIST FOR CHASE PRIVATE CLIENT IN NEW YORK

Rising home prices and recent gains in the stock market should blunt the impact of tax increases for consumers and spending should improve by the second half of the year, said Chan.

Homebuyers also have been enticed by historically low interest rates. The Federal Reserve's latest efforts are helping to keep rates low, as the central bank buys assets including mortgage-backed securities.

It was the 10th month in a row that prices have increased, the longest string of gains since before 2006. Last year's rise in prices beat a nine-month consecutive run in 2009 and 2010, when the market was boosted by a homebuyer tax credit.

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- Sure, everyone was obsessed with Benedict Cumberbatch's cool Belstaff coat in 'Sherlock'
- But the show ignited another design craving for us: Wallpaper

It seems like every year or so there's a design story proclaiming the return of wallpaper. The truth is, we don't think wallpaper was ever not in style. Thanks to a recent marathon of PBS's spectacular Masterpiece series "Sherlock," we were reminded of just how cool and cozy a space can look covered in, say, pretty damask prints. In this modern reimagining, Sherlock Holmes' London flat looks like the kind of place we want to host brunch parties and salon-style discussions with our besties — despite the bullet holes in his walls. The vibe is thanks to his wallpaper, Zoffany's Navarre Flock. (Oh yeah — we tracked it down.) Get inspired with these timeless papers.

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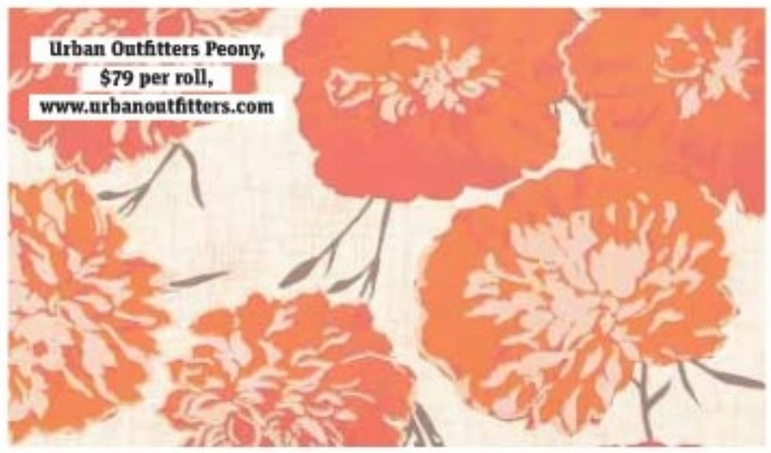

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